the other nations announced 'acceptance' of the plan laid

Hughes' Position Believed Fixed. Plainly put, the American position is that Secretary Hughes has laid down program fair to all concerned, one particularly liberal where an is concerned, and that having aid it before the conference the other ations can either accept it or they an reject it. There the American ise is rested.

The crux of the whole matter, actrding to America's naval experts, the Japanese insistence upon a 13-10-7 ratio with the United States and Great Britain, and British insistence upon climination of the submarines. British opposition to submarines based on "moral" grounds; British spokesmen have declared submarines dould be outlawed because they are dirty" weapons that can too easily be put to attack defenseless merchant saips.

To this argument, the American have replied that subparines are legitimate weapons to the egitimately inclined. They have also pinted out that the British position consistent, for, while raising obto submarines on moral inds, the British have not raised objections to the use of aircrafts, hich also are capable of "dirty" work over unfortified cities.

British and Japanese Confer. The British have carefully refrained from indicating their attitude toward Japan's claims to a greater capital ship ratio, and the Japanese with equal care have refrained from indicating their attitude on the submarine question. There have been, however, frequent consultations between British and Japanese experts. While there have been no tangible evidences of "team work," the state-

ment of the American position against both propositions was timed with Meanwhile, the conference resume its work today on questions relating to China and the Far East. The committee of the whole met again in se-cret in the Pan-American Union building to take up consideration of China's "declaration of independence" where the discussion left off on Thursday. Baron Shidehara, the Japanese am-

bassador, whose temporary indisposi-tion caused a delay in the consideraered, it was said at the embassy.

It is not Japan's intention, Prince Tokugawa said, to submit a Far East "program" to the conference. Japan is willing that the discussion should hinge about the questions raised by China.

LLOYD GEORGE OPTIMISTIC OVER SETTLING ERIN ROW

LONDON, Nov. 19.—Premier Lloyd ARMORED CARS CHARGE George intends to renew negotiations with Sir James Craig, Ulster premier,

that he will be able to overcome to a news dispatch today. Ulster's objections to entering a Pan-Ireland parliament, it was stated.

A youth was injured by one of the builets.

American Will Act As Advisor To Young Republics



Henry Mason Day, who recently sailed for Europe will act as com-mercial adviser to the three new European Republics — Armenia, Georgia and Azerbaijen.

WOMAN, 110, TO BOB HAIR TO BE "LIKE OTHER GIRLS"

NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 19 .- The oldest inmate in the Daughters of Israel Home for the Aged, 110 years old, is to have her hair bobbed "like the other girls," as she expressed it. Her name is withheld for fear its publication might offor fear its publication fend wealthy relatives.

The wealthy relatives.

The woman is known among the other inmates as "the telephone." because of her facility in gossip. She ascribed her longevity largely to diet, eating no meat and very little

bread.

Another inmate of the home is Mrs.

Rivka Zippe, 105 years old. She
primps constantly and says the
secret of her old age and beauty is
fresh air. Her favorite diversion is playing with dolls.

12 KILLED, 30 INJURED

IN ARKANSAS CYCLONES LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 19 .-

Twelve persons were killed, thirty or more injured, and considerable property damage done by two cyclones which struck in widely separated parts of the State early Friday morning. Eight members of the family of

R. E. Weems, at Wickes, Ark., were killed when the Weems home col-lapsed during a violent storm. Details are lacking, due to the fact that all wires to Wickes are down, but it is understood little damage was done except to the Weems farm.

Another storm, striking a lumber camp near Aarkadelphia, killed one person, injured twenty-four others, and then skipped north to a point near Malvern, where three more per-sons were killed and a number in-

GUNMEN IN BELFAST FIGHT Japan? on Tuesday with a view to reaching ute battle with revolvers and rifles bea basis of agreement for settlement tween rival gunmen in the Bally-Masituation, it was an carrat district of Belfast was stopped deorge is more optimistic fighters with armored cars, according

newal of war and the consummation of the social smash now in progress is inevitable. Yet, on the face of that plain inevitable consequence, my dip-lomatic friends in Washington go on lomatic friends in Washington go on talking about such insane projects as that of ceding Manchuria to Japan right down to the Great Wall, of giv-ing Japan practical possession of the mines of China, of giving "compensa-tion" in the matter of Chinese rail-ways to France, of getting this "ad-vantage" or that for Great Britain, and so forth and so on.

I remain permanently astounded be-

I remain permanently astounded be-fore the foreign office officials. They have such excellent brilliant minds, but alas! so highly specialized—so highly specialized—that at time one doubts whether they have, in the general sense of the word, any minds at all.

U. S. Plan All Right, But-In the face of the universal hopefulness for satisfactory results from the conference, I find myself full of doubts. The naval disarmament pro-posal of Secretary Hughes was obviously meant only as the opening proposition, the quite splendid open-ing proposition, of the conference. The second meeting, I felt, would find Mr. Balfour and Admiral Kato, and M. Briand in eloquent sympathy, saying: "Certainly." All this, and more also, we can do, on the under-

standing that a stable, explicit, ex-haustive, permanent Pacific ex-ment can be framed by this ence that will remove all causes of war whatever." But the second meeting was disappointing. One nation after another agreed, as Mr. Balfour, that "old parilamentary hand" put it:—"in PRIN-CIPLE. BUT—"

And now we are all playing four-handed chess with reservations about dockyards, naval stations, cruisers, LARGE submarines, and the like. We are all trying to put the effective disarmament on to the other fel-

Meanwhile, the nine powers at sit-ting in secret session on the Pacific question, and it is clear, from the rumors, that nine-handed chess is in.

Should Disentangle China. Yet the fact, plain enough to any-one who is not lost in the game of diplomacy, is that this conference is

an occasion for generosity and rethe Pacific imbroglio except to disentangle China and form a self-denycerned to leave her alone while she reconstructs. I submit that even players, will do best to fall in line with such a plan.

Would a world covenant to protect China from aggression and to concede her the progressive abolition of extraterritorial privileges and the same unlimited rights over her own railways and soil and revenue that are enand soil and revenue that are enjoyed by the Americans and Japanese over theirs be any serious harm to Japan? Would it not release Japan from her initiative career as pseudo Britain or a meudo Germany and enable her to get on with her own proper business, which, to be to the fullest, completest, and richest extent, Japan?

Japan Desires Safety. For what after all is it that Japan wants? She wants safety, she declares-just as France wants safety

She wants safety to be Japan, just as France wants safety to be France and England wants safety to be England. And she makes these declarations with considerable justification For three hundred years she believed she had that safety and we must admit she was the least dangerous State in the whole world. For three hun-dred years Japan waged no foreign she was a peaceful, self-con-

tained hermit.

fear of Europe that drove her to the and innocence that leads to a morbid practice of modern imperialism. They are not natural Japanese practices. She fought China and grabbed Korea, because otherwise Russia would have held it like a pistol at her throat; she fought Russia because otherwise Russia would have held it like a pistol at her throat; she fought Russia because otherwise Russia would have held Monking and the social organization, and innocence that leads to a morbid development of population and so to great wars calls for intelligent discouragement in international relations.

Japan has modernized itself in many respects, but its social organization, hour before game time.

She is now pursuing an entirely "European" policy in China, intriguing to get a free hand in Manchuria concessions, privileges, and the creation of obedient puppet governments in a dismembered China, planning to divert the natural resources of China divert the natural resources of China to her own use, primarily because she fears that otherwise these things will be done by rival powers and she will be cut off from trade, from raw materials and all prosperity, until at last when she is sufficiently starved and enfeebled she will be attacked and

Reasonable Fears.

These are reasonable, honorable fears. They obliged her to keep armed and aggressive; hers is an "offensive

defensive."

There is no other way of allaying her reasonable, just fears except by a permanent binding Association of World Powers to put an end for ever to the headlong scramble for Asia that began a century and a half ago in India between the French and English, to recognize frankly and to put it upon record that that phase put it upon record that that phase of history has closed, and to provide some effective means of restoration now and the prevention of fresh ag-gression in the future.

No doubt, there is a military caste in

Japan loving war and not even dreading modern war. We have to reckon with that. When we ask Japan to release China we ask for something very much against Japanese habits of thought. Her dominant military note habits of thought. is due both to ancient traditions and recent experience. Japan had most of the fun and little of the bitterness of the great war, and her people may conceivably have a higher attitude toward aggressive war than any Euro-

Self-denying Ordnance. But if the alternatives presented to her were, on the one hand, disarma-ment, and a self-denying ordnance of the powers in relation to China, and on the other, war against the other chief powers of the world, I doubt if the patriotism of even the most warloving Japanese would not out-balance his war lust. And I cannot imagine any other permanent settlement of the Pacific situation except a self-denying ordnance to which Japan, America, anad the European powers can ever

Now, Japan, disarmed and pledged

TODAY

(Continued from First Page.) Japan to protect, or, at least not help despoil, her collections.

Constance Leaves Tobacco

Baron to Avoid Quarreling

Over Staying in Movies.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 19 .- Con-

star, denied yesterday that she was

wealthy husband, John Pialogio, New

York tobacco manufacturer, when re-

ports were made public that the

couple had separated.

Miss Talmadge insistently stated that she had no thought of getting a

areer.
The separation came about, Miss

Talmadge stated, when the question arose about her coming to Los Angeles to make her pictures under the management of Joseph Schenck,

husband of her sister, Norma.
"When he heard of my contemplated

move," the film star stated, "Mr.

Pialoglo entered vigorous objections to

my proposed departure from New York and so to save argument and family strife I simply explained that

I had recently signed a long-term contract and that I did not wish to

forsake my profession.
"He continued to object, but I would

not change my mind, and so we de-cided that if I was to remain in pic-tures it would be better for me to

come to Los Angeles, for then we

Miss Talmadge also stated that she was positive her husband would not divorce her and she averred that there

were absolutely no grounds for such

LADS IN SUNDAY GAME

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As for the conference that was to change the world and make men in 1921 what they MAY be in 10,031, it is a beautiful rainbow, lovely colors, looks permanent, dominates the sky. But about the time you get the whole family out

on the veranda to look at it, it has begun to fade. The conference has begun to fade. And Congress, seizing the occasion, has begun to fight the President. We are having our second camp meeting revival. The first was in Paris. It's an international Chautauqua. People, after all,

will be about the same as they were before. If it should make clear to our nation that the only worth-while reliance is on OURSELVES, if it should teach us, by the attitude of England and France, that we must turn for safety from the obsolete forty million dollar battleship to modern, cheaper weapons, it will have been for us a worthwhile display of American innocence and good will.

nd self-restrained by treaties and associations against aggression on the mainland of Asia, would, nevertheless, reap enormous benefits from the liber-ation of China.

Given just and reasonable treaties, she can do very well without armaments. Her geographical position would make her naturally and proposition of the control of the contro erly the first merchant and the first customer of a renascent China. She would have the first bid for all the coal and ore and foodstuffs she needed. American goods and European goods would have to come past her over thousands of miles of sea. Chinese goods that did not come to her would go elsewhere up a steep hill of freight charges. It is preposterous imagina-tion that China would refuse to sell o her nearest and best customer.

Moreover, Japan's artistic and liter ary culture, at once so distinctive and so sympathetic with that of China, would receive enormous stimulation, nese revival.

Japan would be able to keep in the divorce proceedings against van of nations, not by that headlong imitation and adoption of European devices into which circumstances have forced her hitherto, but by a natural and orderly development of her own diosyncracies in the face of the enhanced power that modern resources supply. An association of Japan with divorce either now or at some future date, but confirmed the rumor that she had separated from her husband, other nations to insure uninterrupted development to China would insure that to Japan also. It would be a explaining that it was a "friendly" separation, which resulted when she refused to give up her motion picture mutual assurance of peace and secur-

But there is one set of facts and one only that militates against this idea of a pacific and progressive Japan, a splendid leader in civilization amidst a brotherhood of nations, and that is this, that Japan is al-ready over-populated, she has to import not only food but industrial raw material, and that her population in-creases now by the tremendous figure f half a million a year. Teems With Population.

That is the reality that gives substance to the aggressive imperialism of Japan. That is why she casts about for such regions for expansion as Siberia-a region not represented at the conference and so beyond its purview, and that is why she covets some preferential control in Chinese

metals and minerals and food.

Were it not for this steady invasion of the world by hungry lives, the principle of Japan for the Japanese, China for the Chinese, England for the Factor of the Factor the English, Eastern Siberia for its own people, would give us the sim-plest, most satisfactory principle for

population over and beyond its bound-aries or to claim trade and food because of its heedless self-congestion? ship of the section known as "Foggy Diplomacy is curiously mealy-mouthed about many things.

Birth Control Solution. I have made a British official here

blush at the words birth control, but it is a fact that this aggressive fecundity of peoples is something that can be changed and restrained within a Weyanokes. Phillips has donated a dragged her out of her seclusion and country, and that this sort of modesty silver cup to go to the winner of the

fought Russia because otherwise Russia would have held Manchuria and Port Arthur against her; she fought in the Great War to oust Germany treme domestication of women and a maximum of babies.

While the sanitation and hygiene o Japan were still medieval, a sufficient proportion of these babies died soon and prevented any over-pressure of population, but now that Japan has modernized itself in most respects, it needs to modernize itself in this re spect also

I submit that the troubles arising from excessive fecundity within s country justify not an aggressive imperialism on the part of that country but a sufficent amount of birth control within its proper boundaries.

The tenth article of the series by H. G. Wells on the Washington conference will appear exclusively in The Washington Times tomor-

OFFERS TO FILM PASSION PLAY ARE REJECTED

OBERAMMERGAU, Bavaria, Nov. 9.—The Passion Play committee, which recently has been bombarded by the proposals from American motion picture concerns for the privilege of filming the production in 1922, when the play will next be performed, is standing firm in its refusal "to play Judas to our tradition, despite our poverty," as it puts it.

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